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Bow Island celebrates July 2nd.

Bow Island Celebration a Big Success.

The Celebration given in Bow Island on Monday was, as it deserved to be, a very successful affair indeed. The weather was all that could be desired and the people who flocked into town in the early morning evidently came with the fullest intention to have an enjoyable day. In this they were not disappointed.

The program opened with the band serenading the entire town and treating the citizens to a class of music to which they have been strangers too long.

The automobile parade followed. Unfortunately, very few cars (although the streets were lined with them) had done very much in the way of decoration. Consequently, the task set the judges was not a very difficult one. The first prize of \$10.00 was awarded T. H. Blaine, whose car was gaily bedecked with the flags of the allies, artistically arranged. The second prize of \$5.00 went to F. W. Brown for a pleasing array of flags displayed over the car, in which the British flag and the Stars and Stripes were a conspicuous feature.

The races in the afternoon drew a large crowd to the public park, and considerable interest was evinced in the numerous events. These were fairly well contested for this year, and in several of them the entries were well above the average number.

The winners are as follows:—

Girls under ten—1 Nellie Walker,

2 Margaret Allen.

Boys under ten—1 Joe Wright,

2 Bobbie Hoaglin.

Boys under 14—1 Huerst Bell, 2 Roy

Collier, 2 Fred Collier.

Students Race—1 Drattie Bateman,

2 H. MacWilliams.

Gents' Shoes Race—1 A. Goolyear,

2 T. H. Blaine.

Ladies' Race—1 Mrs. P. Sallisbury,

2 Mrs. Rich.

Fast Man's Race—1 A. Lindquist,

2 H. Whitbeck.

Hundred Yard Dash—1 Gerald

Dulmage, 2 Clarence Bateman.

Hop, Step and Jump—1 Clarence

Bateman, 2 W. Bowen.

Broad Jump—1 C. Bateman, 2 W.

Bowen.

High Jump—1 Gerald Dulmage,

2 Banks and C. Bateman (Tied).

Three-legged race—1 Dulmage and

Bateman, 2 Clarke and Judd.

Sack Race—1 Showalter, 2 R. Agar,

Whelan and Rose—1 H. MacWill-

iams and B. Bateman, 2 C. MacWill-

iams and W. Cotton.

Pony Race—1 J. R. Sandy's Sorrel,

2 Sandy's Pinto.

Free-for-All—1 Sandy's Sorrel, 2 O.

H. Scott.

Stake Race—1 T. Dunn's Iron Grey,

2 Sandy's Pinto.

The ball game which immediately

followed was played between teams

representing Forty-Mile and Bow Island, and was watched with considerable interest by the supporters of both teams.

Forty-Mile has a good record so far and in asserting their superiority again on Monday over Bow Island they merely fell in with general expectations. The style of play was not sufficient probably to impress one as being of a first-class nature, but this was not the fault of Forty-mile. They are sports of the very first water, and the knowledge that they were opposing a comparatively green team would lead one to suspect that they were not playing up to their full strength. However that may be, the hearty welcome generally accorded Forty-mile in Bow Island will not be rendered less by their play on Monday. The final score of 11-0 was sufficient for their purpose, and with this apparently they were quite content.

For ingenuity and resource commend us to the ladies of the Red Cross. One of the methods adopted to raise money on Monday for this organization was quite a novel one. This was a cloth concealing an object the nature of which naturally aroused one's curiosity and compelled him to delve still further into the matter. This was rendered easy by the deposit of a small coin, whereupon he was permitted to gaze (but not touch) upon a very tempting cake plentifully bedecked with candies. For the coin already bestowed he was allowed to guess at their number with the ultimate expectation of becoming possessor of the cake. Whether T. H. Blaine's expert knowledge of mysterious compounds enabled him to judge better of these things than the ordinary person, we know not, but we do know that he won the cake.

We are also informed that Mrs. S. G. Jamieson had the pleasure of handing over to the Red Cross the sum of ten dollars as a result of her little enterprise.

The number of raffles upon the cake was 333, and the nearest guess was 520.

The lowery dance held on Monday night was a great success. When the project was first mentioned some had their doubts, but afterwards expressed the opinion that it was a good thing the committee went ahead with it. It was not only a source of added revenue, but it afforded those who delight in dancing the opportunity of doing so under the happiest auspices. It was cooler than the ball and the sight of forty or fifty couples taking the floor at the same time revived even the jaded old-timers.

It was most gratifying to witness the hearty co-operation which the Red continued on page four.

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GRASSY LAKE TO WHITLEY

Fourth of July Celebration at Burdett Posponed.

The heavy rain which visited Burdett on Wednesday spoilt the celebration, but the spirits of the visitors and citizens were not rendered despondent on this account. Probably if one could have taken canvas of the town he would have found that the rain was a more attractive feature than any that could be devised by the sports committee.

Naturally, the committee would have been better pleased to have carried out the program and had the rain as an after event. But the elements apparently were not agreeable to the proposition.

Burdett had made every effort to have a successful day. The race track had been attended to and put in good shape, but the storm of the previous evening and the heavy rain the next morning made the task of holding horse races there an impossible one. Under the circumstances it was deemed advisable to postpone the celebration until a later date.

Miss McMan, our school teacher, has returned to Three Hills.

H. Percy Johnston has accepted a position in the Standard Bank of Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. McLennan and daughter left here last week to reside at Medicine Hat.

Burdett claims the extreme privilege of having the first Chinese baby to be born along the Crow. Mrs. Louise presented her husband with a son this week.

A. R. Hill, who has been managing the "Parson's" elevator at this point, left last week with his wife to reside in Montana. His place has been taken by Mr. Robson.

Miss Nellie Powell of Iron Springs and Mrs. G. E. Thompson of Victoria, B.C., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Geo. Lomas. They arrived from Iron Springs by auto this week. They, however, will probably return by train, unless they can secure the service of a more qualified chauffeur.

G. C. Copley, our local builder, sustained a rather bad accident last Tuesday, when a scaffolding upon which he with three or four other men were working gave way and threw them to the ground. Mr. Copley received an injury to his ankle and is now confined to his house. Another man, P. Hallett, was also hurt but not seriously.

The Burdett hotel was opened by Mr. E. Brown for the first time on Wednesday, and judging from the remarks made by the people who patronized the establishment we should imagine it will supply a "long felt want." The hotel is as yet not quite completed, and it will take several more days ere it will be quite ready to accommodate the public.

An old-time "eat the corn" was in progress here on Wednesday. Bulls were being thrown at the corn's head with but very poor success. Unfortunately for the corn, he got careless, and whilst engaged in making some original face contortions a particularly vicious bull caught him in the eye, necessitating an urgent run to the local butcher for a steak plaster.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Elford have just returned from a hurried call to Louisiana, where they went to visit Mrs. Elford's sick mother, who, however, died just before their arrival. Mr. Elford, speaking of his return trip, states the Central Mississippi Valley has too much wet. The corn is but four inches high and very weedy. The principal industry in Louisiana, Mr. Elford informed us, is the growing of rice and cotton. In the rice fields they are keeping the pumps going night and day to flood the rice. On the whole trip, putting things on a conservative basis, he thought the season was for a moderate crop.

only. Nowhere did he see anything to compare with the crops in southern Alberta.

During the storm on Tuesday night lightning struck the Liddle barn, north of town, and in addition to damaging the building nearly resulting in a fatality. About half-a-dozen boys were in the barn at the time seeking shelter, and one of these, Harold Liddle, age about 17, was struck by the lightning and thrown to the ground in an unconscious condition. A horse standing near was also struck and knocked down. At first grave fears were entertained that Liddle had received a fatal injury, but after a while both he and the horse recovered consciousness, and apparently were little the worse for their alarming experience. The barn has a large hole torn in the north end and was considerably damaged.

WHY WE SHOULD ASSIST THE RED CROSS.

1. To-day the Canadian Red Cross is assisting 23900 Canadian wounded. Last year at this time, only 12000 wounded were in our hospitals.

2. To-day a special appeal has gone forth from French Hospitals and French prisoners of war. The Canadian Red Cross has agreed to hand over 5000 cases of supplies a month to the French Red Cross.

3. Increased quantities of supplies are required, but the price of raw materials out of which supplies are made has risen 75%. Is Red Cross work to stop?

4. To-day the Canadian Red Cross is solely responsible for the welfare of all Canadian prisoners of war in Germany. \$125,000 a year is required for this work alone. Remember these figures are increasing constantly.

5. To-day the Canadian Red Cross is called upon to maintain an increased number of hospitals, convalescent homes, recreation huts, and supply depots.

6. To-day the Canadian Red Cross is assisting all military hospitals in Canada. This means increased expenditure, but it means increased comfort for our returned men. Comforts and equipment amounting to many thousand dollars have been donated by the Alberta Red Cross to hospitals in this province during the past six months.

7. To-day we have five times the men in the fighting line that we had a year ago. This number is being rapidly augmented.

Remember: 8. The work of the Red Cross, the usefulness of the Red Cross is determined by the generosity of the Canadian people.

9. Red Cross work is man's work as much as woman's work.

10. The Red Cross needs all the money you can spare. It needs all the money you can spare, because Red Cross needs are endless.



Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on FRIDAY, the 29th JULY, 1917 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years (twice per week on the route Bow Island and Marsh from the Postmaster General's pleasure).

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be sent and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Bow Island and Marsh at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

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Most Unsatisfactory

Poor old Aunt Elizabeth was a mart to rheumatism, and was consulting her nephew, a newly-fledged doctor, as to what she had better do. She was a wealthy old lady, and her loving nephew was most anxious to make a good impression.

"You should try an electric treatment," said, "Electricity is life, you know, and it is especially good in overcoming your complaint."

"Now, George, don't you try your new-fangled ideas on me, because I won't have it. Electricity, indeed! Stuff and nonsense! You know very well that I was struck by lightning only a few months ago, and it hasn't done me a bit of good!"

Do You Know?



"You're late, and much obliged to you for the teacher."

"Please, Miss Jones," he exclaimed, "it's a bee gone on a bottle would the bee with the next of it would the bottle still be the bee?"

Running to Seed

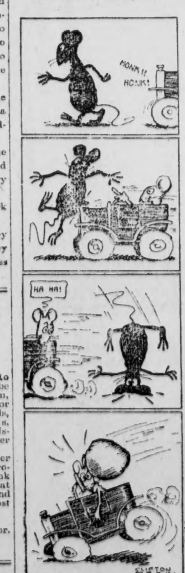
Newly wed, very happy, utter, experienced, and really rather ignorant—they were all three thick. A. They had a new house, with a little garden at the back of which—John, neither of them knew much of matters horticultural—they were both of ordinary proud.

"That," he cried, bursting into the house one afternoon, "there's some apparatus just ready for sale. Come! You shall gather the fruits from our garden."

There was nothing she would like to have done more. But, alas! asparagus gathering was not one of her strong points. In fact, she didn't even know what the stuff looked like in its natural state. So, anxious to "give herself away," she decided to be cautious.

"No, John," she said, "you'd better do the cutting. You're taller than I am. I'll hold the ladder!"

Adventures of Johnny Hoot



Indigestion Next

Sandy was being entertained at a Boho restaurant, London, and the dinner consisted of rich and fanciful dishes.

"Well," he was asked, "what will you have next?"

"I'll not eat," Sandy, thoughtfully. "I think I'll lay indigestion!"

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Are made much more pleasant for walking if you have a well-fitted boot. It makes all the difference between discomfort and enjoyment. The Bow Island Mercantile Co. has recently received an extra large shipment of Boots and Shoes, all sizes, including the

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Amendments to Land Act

OTTAWA, June 28.—Hon. W. J. Roche in the commons this afternoon introduced a bill to amend the Dominion Land Act. Its chief provision is one which was suggested by George McCauley, minister for Saskatoon, and

which Dr. Roche has agreed to include in the government measure. The amendment will give the owner of a purchased homestead or pre-emption who has fulfilled all the requirements of the act except the payment of the land a period of 12 months in which he may borrow money for the payment of the land.

Another amendment provides that when a homesteader who owes money to the government for seed grain abandons his homestead, the government for the homestead must pay the government the money owed for the grain before he can secure possession.

Save Your Gasoline

The numerous voluntary letters from McLaughlin owners in all parts of Canada furnish proof as to the economy of gasoline consumption of the McLaughlin valve-in-head motor. A McLaughlin owner in Toronto (name on request) who owns a D-4-35 reports over 27 miles to the gallon of gasoline. Many owners of our Model D-6-63 get 25 miles and more to the gallon. A Maritime owner of a D-6-45 (name on request) gets over 20 miles to the gallon over fully road, which is 30% more than most motors of other makes developing the same horse power and twice as much as some.

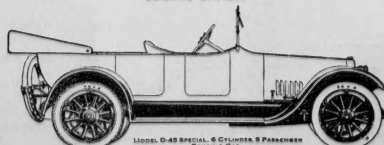
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Local and General.

A. Swennumson returned on Wednesday from a trip east.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hoaglin returned from Spokane on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, of Palmer, Sask., are paying a visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Jamieson.

Birth—On Friday, June 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Skidmore, a son.

S. Y. Hurst has rented the brick building next the post-office for undertakers' supplies exclusively.

Mrs. Geo. Mond, who went under an operation recently at the Bow Island hospital, is now rapidly recovering.

The Citizen's Band wishes to acknowledge the sum of \$5.00 from Mayor Robertson towards its funds.

Zion Lutheran Church.—Norwegian service on Sunday, July 8th, at one p.m. Fortile Plains 3:30 p.m.—N. R. T. Brin, pastor.

Birth—On Monday, July 2nd, at the Bow Island hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins, of Winnipeg, a daughter.

H. S. Beattie returned on Monday from a visit to Portland, Oregon, and other points south of the line.

E. G. Allen, who for some time occupied a position at the Review office, has accepted the position of managing-editor of the Baseno Mail.

A ball game will be played in Bow Island this evening between teams representing Forty-Mile and Foremost. The game is called for 6:30. A good game is expected to result. A dance will be held in the evening.

It was announced on Monday night at the dance that a sum of over \$1000 had been realised for the Red Cross as a result of the day's celebration. The expenses, however, will have to be taken out of this, leaving a balance for the Society possibly of six or seven hundred dollars.

The dry weather of the past few weeks was beginning to affect the crops injuriously, and the rain on Tuesday was, therefore, more than welcome. As a whole, except on the land sown late, farmers are fairly well satisfied with the prospect, and at present we have good reason to hope for an excellent yield.

Operations have been discontinued at well No. 18 by the Canadian Western Natural Gas Co. The hole is what is technically termed "a dry one." We understand that in all probability no further steps will be taken to get gas further west, but that the activity of the company will be devoted to drilling in a more south-easterly direction.

Willnot & Henderson report sales of Chevrolet cars to the following:—W. J. Ledgerwood, Grassy Lake, W. H. Grant, Winnipeg, and A. W. Owens and J. W. Proudfoot, Bow Island. McLaughlin cars have been disposed of to D. Campbell, Foremost, and H. Garbould and Mrs. Liddle of Burdett. Twin City tractors have been purchased by G. and H. Jenkins, W. A. Bateman, and K. M. Holcroft, Bow Island.

Squire Winters of Burdett has been undergoing treatment at the Bow Island hospital the past week for injuries to his back. Last Tuesday he was driving into Burdett from his farm when one of the lines, a little shorter than the other, slipped from his hand and started the horses. The driver was thrown from his seat and the wheels passed over his body. He, however, retained sufficient presence of mind to hold on until help arrived and released him from his dangerous position. On Wednesday he had recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital.

War Prices Do Not Prevail Here.

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